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Section 1. It shall not be lawful for any bank or banking association, incorporated or organized under the laws of this State, to deal in buying or selling its own capital stock, nor to make loans upon notes secured in whole or in part by the hypothecation of any portion of the capital stock of such bank or banking association.

Section 2. If any bank or banking association shall violate any of the provisions of this act, it shall forfeit the charter and the privileges of a bank or banking association, and every such bank or banking association may be proceeded against, and its affairs closed, in the manner now provided by law in case of an insolvent bank or banking association.

Section 3. Repeals all acts inconsistent with the above.

ABOLISHING THE MARINE COURT.

Mr. RORER introduced a bill to abolish the Marine Court in the city of New York. It provides for the abolition of the court, and for the transfer of its jurisdiction to the Supreme Court. The bill was read twice, and will be read a third time on Monday next.

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innocence against the craft and cunning of the money lender. What a burlesque and libel upon the money lender. Does money create mind? This may be so in the case of the money lender, but the great mass of business men can scarcely feel themselves compelled by a recognition of the truth of this theory in their own minds.

Your committee entertain the opinion that laws which are enacted to protect men against themselves in their ordinary business affairs, are generally useless and impracticable. Under the present usury laws, a man who borrows money has a strong inducement held out to him to obtain it at a high rate of interest. He is tempted to do so, and he does so, and he is not at all deterred by the fact that the law is against him.

The fact that this cheating is done according to law, renders it no less immoral and unjust, and it is believed that the public generally regard him who interposes the law of usury (unless the case be one where actual fraud has been committed) with some suspicion and want of confidence that attaches to men who commit any other dishonest act in their dealings with each other.

It is true that stringent usury laws have for centuries existed in England, and that this State has sanctioned their propriety by enacting similar laws. But, though these laws may have the merit of antiquity, they are not with any show of truth to be called "time honored," for experience has shown that they were never really enforced, and that they were never really intended to be enforced.

Your committee, therefore, have come to the conclusion that the usury laws of this State should be amended and modified so as to allow the money lender to recover the amount loaned, with interest, at the rate of six per cent. per annum, and that the law should be so amended that it should be allowed to bring an action in the Supreme Court to enforce the same, and that the prevailing party in such action should be entitled to costs, and to the fees of the court, and to the fees of the attorney.

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THE SESSION DRAWING TO A CLOSE.

THE TARIFF KILLED OFF.

Active Operations of the Lobby.

ALL SORTS OF APPROPRIATIONS.

Extra Allowances and Increase of Salaries.

THIRTY-THIRD CONGRESS.

SECOND SESSION.

WASHINGTON, March 2, 1855.

On Monday, March 2, the Senate adjourned until Monday next. The House adjourned until Monday next.

On Tuesday, March 3, the Senate adjourned until Tuesday next. The House adjourned until Tuesday next.

On Wednesday, March 4, the Senate adjourned until Wednesday next. The House adjourned until Wednesday next.

On Thursday, March 5, the Senate adjourned until Thursday next. The House adjourned until Thursday next.

On Friday, March 6, the Senate adjourned until Friday next. The House adjourned until Friday next.

On Saturday, March 7, the Senate adjourned until Saturday next. The House adjourned until Saturday next.

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On Thursday, March 12, the Senate adjourned until Thursday next. The House adjourned until Thursday next.

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On Saturday, March 14, the Senate adjourned until Saturday next. The House adjourned until Saturday next.

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On Monday, March 16, the Senate adjourned until Monday next. The House adjourned until Monday next.

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On Thursday, March 19, the Senate adjourned until Thursday next. The House adjourned until Thursday next.

On Friday, March 20, the Senate adjourned until Friday next. The House adjourned until Friday next.

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On Tuesday, March 24, the Senate adjourned until Tuesday next. The House adjourned until Tuesday next.

On Wednesday, March 25, the Senate adjourned until Wednesday next. The House adjourned until Wednesday next.

Personal Intelligence.

ARRIVALS.

At the St. Nicholas Hotel, New York.

DEPARTURES.

At the St. Nicholas Hotel, New York.

MARRIAGES.

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DEATHS.

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On Thursday, March 3, Mr. Matthew Graves, aged 35 years, died at his residence, No. 100 Broadway. He was a native of Ireland, and had been in this country for many years. He was a member of the New York Association of Firemen, and was a very popular and respected man.

On Friday, March 4, Mr. John Smith, aged 45 years, died at his residence, No. 123 Broadway. He was a native of Ireland, and had been in this country for many years. He was a member of the New York Association of Firemen, and was a very popular and respected man.

On Saturday, March 5, Mr. John Smith, aged 45 years, died at his residence, No. 123 Broadway. He was a native of Ireland, and had been in this country for many years. He was a member of the New York Association of Firemen, and was a very popular and respected man.

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On Thursday, March 17, Mr. John Smith, aged 45 years, died at his residence, No. 123 Broadway. He was a native of Ireland, and had been in this country for many years. He was a member of the New York Association of Firemen, and was a very popular and respected man.

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